Gladesville Primary School Update  
*Thursday 6th August 2015*

**Our Vision is to:**
- Promote positive relationships to strengthen our whole school community
- Maximise student engagement and learning
- Maintain a safe, caring and inclusive environment
- Work as a team and challenge ourselves to create success
- Encourage resilience, positive mental health and wellbeing

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**A few messages from the Principal’s desk…**

Congratulations to our Gladesville Primary School Community for a fabulous Production of Peter Pan last night! We have had lots of positive feedback from our families today.

Our Term 3 Working Bee is on this Sunday. Details are on the following pages.

All Grade 5 Parents are reminded that they are asked to attend the Independent Living Skills Parent Information Night on Monday 10th August at 6:30pm in the library.

Have a great week everyone!!  
-Nicki Wood

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**A Tribes Learning Community**

*Mutual Respect, Personal Best, Appreciation,*  
*Participation/Right to Pass, Attentive Listening*
Production 2015: Peter Pan
Reminders of Upcoming Events

**Term 3 Working Bee**

**Sunday August 9th, 9:00am—12:30pm**

Our next Working Bee project will focus:
- on weeding the garden beds and filling with topsoil for planting
- constructing frames for beans and other produce to grow along
- constructing a gumboot herb garden

We require donations of:
- old gumboots to be used for planting
- bamboo or dowel rods for planting frames
- wire and screws to attach boots to fence and make the planting frames
- herb plants
- bean plants
- top soil and mulch/hay/straw

We look forward to seeing as many families along for the day. We will be starting our day off at 8:30am with bacon and egg breakfast sandwiches, tea and coffee served from the canteen when you arrive. Please return the slip below by Friday 7th August.

See you there!

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27th July 2015

Dear Parent,

**Independent Living Skills Program**

In Term 3, 2015 we will be conducting the Independent Living Skills Program that is designed to assist children in their development of confidence skills to live from day to day. We will be running this program for all grade 5 students during class time throughout Term 3.

In order for this program to offer maximum benefit for your child, it must involve parental support throughout the term by way of pre and post session work with your child, generally involving conversations to stimulate interest and seek out current knowledge, reflections and some written homework. Parents are asked to work with us to ensure that the topics children learn about have time to consolidate in order to maximise the learning opportunity.

The program will be conducted at school on a Wednesday for two hours. It is very interactive with many practical and engaging learning activities. Some of the topics to be undertaken include:

- hygiene
- home skills / house work
- healthy living
- money skills and saving
- shopping and budgeting
- cooking

During the program children will be working towards a Celebration Afternoon Tea prepared by the students that parents will be invited to attend. As the children develop their skills, they will demonstrate how to earn money, save, budget, plan, prepare, serve and clean up the celebration activity at the conclusion of the program.

There is more detailed information we would like to share with you before the program commences, and would therefore ask that you note down two very important dates for your involvement and requested attendance:

| Parent Introduction Meeting (critical to attend) | Monday 10th August, at 6.30pm (Library) |
Basketball News

Results

3/8 GRIZZLIES W 28-6  James G for his vision and court awareness, well done.
27/7 GIANTS W 18-16  Kyle H for fantastic shooting
3/8 GIANTS L 13-19  Blaze C for great defence and rebounding.
27/7 GOANNAS L 13-19  Tallon W for great shooting
3/8 GOANNAS L
30/7 GEMS W 16-12  Alesha S for 3 fantastic goals, well done.
6/8 GEMS Bye
31/7 GREMLINS W 14-0  Josh B, Kynan W, Georgia M, Louis C, Dylan N, Hudson C for a brilliant game and great team work...

Games

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“*The Goannas are in need of more players, if your child is in Grade 3 or Grade 4 boy or girl and would be interested in joining the Goanna Team please contact Melanie Morgan or leave details at office*”

Community Notices

Free event for children (5-14yrs) at Lilydale Lake

Looking for a great glass company, you can’t go past

Countrywide Glass
Lilydale
9735 1950

Saturday 19th September
9am to 4pm

KIDS come & TRY fishing

All gear provided

Yarra Valley Fly Fishers
Ph 9739 5728
www.yvff.com.au